GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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LOSS TO CROPS BY ANIMALS
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that due to indiscriminate and large scale tree cuttings in the Sagarehwar (Maharashtra) Sanctuary, the animal life is facing danger;

(b) if so, whether hitherto confined deers are now destroying standing crops of the farmers outside the sanctuary as a result thereof; and

(c) if so, the steps taken/proposed to be taken to combat the same?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T.R. BAALU)

(a), (b)& (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.